

Today's
Advertisements.THEATRE ROYAL
CITY HALL.

Under the direction of Mr. ROBERT BROUGH.
Representative—Mr. HAMILTON.

THIS EVENING
(THURSDAY), the 9th March, 1898,
Commencing at 8 P.M.

BROUGH COMEDY COMPANY.

THIS EVENING
POSITIVELY LAST NIGHT

"A VILLAGE PRIEST."
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By SYDNEY GRUNDY.

TO-MORROW and SATURDAY,
11th and 12th March,

"AN IDEAL HUSBAND."
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By OSCAR WILDE.

MONDAY and TUESDAY,
14th and 15th March,

"THE SOLICITOR."
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An Original Farce Comedy, by
J. H. DARNLEY.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.
DRESS CIRCLE and ORCHESTRA STALLS \$1
STALLS \$2
F.T. \$1

Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform Half Price
to the Pit only.

Doors open 8.15 P.M. Curtain 9 P.M.
Box Plan now open at the ROBINSON Piano
Co.'s Warehouse.

A Late Train for the Peak will leave each
evening fifteen minutes after the fall of the
curtain.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [320]

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above
LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS'
HALL, Zealand Street, on WEDNESDAY, the
16th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting
Brethren are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [321]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.
THE Company's Steamship

"HAIMUN," will be despatched for the
above Ports on SUNDAY, the 13th instant,
at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [322]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND
CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship

"KUTSANG," will be despatched as above
on WEDNESDAY, the 16th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [323]

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL
THE Steamship

"BINALDER," will be despatched as above
on or about the 5th April.

To be followed by
S.S. "MERION FISHSHIRE," on or about 25th
April.

S.S. "QUEEN MARGARET," on or about 10th
May.

S.S. "ST. NINIAN," on or about 25th May.

S.S. "CRAIGHEARN," on or about 15th June.

For Freight, &c., apply to
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [324]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM KOBE.

THE Steamship

"MARIA VALERIE,"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby
informed that their Goods are being landed at
their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong
and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company,
Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods
have left the Godowns, and all claims must be
sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the
17th instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any
Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 17th
instant will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
SANDER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [325]

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The Steamship "BENVOLICH."

FROM LEITH, ANTWERP, LONDON AND
SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed
that all Goods are being landed at their
risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf
and Godown Company's Godowns, whence
and/or from the wharves delivery may be
obtained.

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undelivered after the 17th instant, will be subject
to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-
sented to the Undersigned on or before the 24th
instant, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to
be left in the Godowns, where they will be
examined on the 17th instant.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
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GOVERNMENT BILLS.

TENDERS for SPECIE—MEXICAN
DOLLARS, Current in this Colony, and
weighing 7.17, in Exchange for Sterling Bills
drawn at 10 days' sight on the Lords Com-
missioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, London, will
be received by the Chief Paymaster, Army Pay
Department, until 11 A.M. on MONDAY, the
14th instant.

The Tenders to state the total amount required
(in Pounds Sterling), and the amount for which
each Bill should be drawn, but no Bills will be
issued for sums less than £100.

The Tenders to be in Duplicate and in sealed
covers, addressed to the Chief Paymaster, Army
Pay Department, and endorsed "Tenders for
Government Bills."

The right to accept or reject any or all of the
Tenders is reserved.

E. H. GORGES,
Colonel,
Chief Paymaster, China.

Her Majesty's Treasury Office,
Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 10th March, 1898. [370]

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSES—
No. 5, RIFON TERRACE,
KOWLOON.

BAHAR LODGE—at the PEAK.
No. 13, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.
FLOORS IN STANTON and ELGIN
STREETS.

GODOWNS IN BLUE BUILDINGS,
GODOWNS, PRAVA EAST.

Apply to
"THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT"
& AGENCY CO., Ltd.

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NOW IN THE PRESS.

A PAMPHLET containing the Series of
Articles by the *Telegraph's* Special
Correspondent entitled

"HINDRANCES TO THE DEVELOPMENT
OF TRADE IN KWANGTUNG
AND KWANGSI."

PRICE, 50 CENTS PER COPY.

As only a limited number will be struck off,
it is desirable that orders be sent in as soon as
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The Manager
"THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH"
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No. 6, Pedder's Hill,
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Announcements.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK &
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DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & Co.'s WATERS are
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Special terms to HOTELS, CLUBS, RESTAURANTS
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Any complaints should be addressed to the
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Hongkong, 1st March, 1897. [30]

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

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THE BAND of the K. O. L. Regiment will play
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Overture—La Pille Du Regiment—Donizetti
Selection—Little Christopher Columbus—Van Cuyt
Valse—Die Praeludium—Grieg
Lancers—The Mayflower—Liddell
Selection—American Melodie—Koppy
Valse—Lana—Milkicker
God Save The Queen.

THE slayer of Acter Terris is now in prison,
to remain "at the Queen's pleasure." The prisoner
is in for life and he might as well make up his
mind to it. To be kept from hanging by the
plea of insanity in England, says an American
paper, does not mean the privilege of roaming
unrestrained and occasionally killing a man just
to show that the insanity is in good working
order. Is this a reflection on Uncle Sam?

A World-specialist dated Rome January 5th says:—
Mrs. Mackay is to have a special audience with
the Pope to-morrow. She intends to remain in
Rome until the end of February, and then pay a
visit to Sicily. Some of her friends in Rome
have been warning her that the enterprising
Sicilian brigands would dare anything to get
into their clothes the wife of the bonanza King,
in expectation of a big ransom. But Mrs.
Mackay says she will be able to take ample
care of herself.

We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits to
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A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, 8th December, 1897. [7]

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

It is requested that all communications relating to Subscriptions,
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Telegraph," and not to the Editor.

Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The Editor" and
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Communications intended for publication must be accompanied
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publication, but as evidence of good faith.

While the columns of the *Hongkong Telegraph* will always
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ADVERTISERS are requested to forward all notices intended for
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Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a
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